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TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: BUCHAN MEMORIAL LECTURE

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1. CHRISTOPH BERTRAM HAS RETURNED FROM NEW YORK AND CALLED US TODAY. MAY 24. IISS HAS NOW DECIDED THAT IT WOULD PREFER TO MAKE SOLO ANNOUNCEMENT THAT SECRETARY WILL GIVE INAUGURAL BUCHAN MEMORIAL LECTURE. ON BASIS OF REFTEL C, WE SAID FINE.

2. THEREFORE INSTITUTE WILL ISSUE FOLLOWING PRESS RELEASE THIS AFTERNOON, EMBARGOED UNTIL MIDNIGHT TONIGHT.

BEGIN TEXT: "THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF STATE, DR. HENRY KISSINGER, WILL GIVE THE INAUGURAL ALASTAIR BUCHAN MEMORIAL LECTURE BEFORE MEMBERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR STRATEGIC STUDIES ON JUNE 25, 1976, IN LONDON. ALASTAIRBUCHAN, WHO DIED ON FEBRUARY 3, 1976, WAS THE FIRST DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE, FROM 1958-1969. AND THE MAN WHO ESTABLISHED ITS REPUTATION AS AN INDEPENDENT CENTER FOR INFORMATION AND RESEARCH ON PROBLEMS OF INTERNATIONAL SECURITY. THE ALASTAIR
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BUCHAN MEMORIAL LECTURE WILL BE HELD ANNUALLY IN HIS

HONOR. DR. KISSINGER HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE INSTITUTE
SINCE ITS FOUNDING IN 1958 AND WAS A CLOSE PERSONAL
FRIEND OF ALASTAIRBUCHAN." END TEXT

3. IF SUGGESTED LANGUAGE (PARA 4, REFTEL B) IS USED BY
PARTY IN RESPONSE TO REPORTERS' QUESTIONS, PHRASE IN
SECOND SENTENCE, "MAN WHO FOUNDED THE INSTITUTE", SHOULD
BE CHANGED TO READ "MAN WHO DEVELOPED THE INSTITUTE."

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